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**SPADOC Relocation in Room 2308**

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1. **PURPOSE.** Advise CINCAD of the activation schedule for the SPADOC in Room 2308.

2. **BACKGROUND.** A plan to relocate the SPADOC from its present location in the Intelligence Center to Room 2308 (formerly the Space Defense Center) was approved in July 1980. The scheduled activation date was to be 1 April 1981. Construction began in December.

3. **CURRENT STATUS.** Construction is expected to be complete on 15 April 1981, at which time Mountain Bell and Air Force Communications Command will begin installation of the SPADOC equipment. Security testing is being scheduled for 18 May 1981 and operational activation is planned for 1 June 1981.

4. Contributing factors in the delay of completion of construction were:

a. The original contract and drawings provided to the construction contractor by the Corps of Engineers required amendment. Part of the amendment concerned the requirement to reroute circuits which carry operational communications traffic through Room 2308. This entailed installation of new conduit and telephone terminal boxes by the contractor and installation and termination of new communication cables by Bell Telephone.

b. Coordination between Corps of Engineers, Mountain Bell and ADC OCRs has resulted in agreement of 1 June 1981 as the feasible activation date.

5. There are approximately 13 days of "slack" built into the 1 June 1981 activation to cover unexpected problems.

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